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SUBJECT: REPLY TO CONGRATULATIONS FROM PRESIDENT SIAD

TO PRESIDENT FORD ON HIS ASSUMPTION OF OFFICE

REF: MOGADISCIO 1250

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO
PRESIDENT SIAD FROM PRESIDENT FORD:

QUOTE : PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE APPRECIATION FOR YOUR
KIND MESSAGE ON MY ASSUMPTION OF OFFICE AS PRESIDENT OF
THE UNITED STATES. MAY I EXPRESS THE HOPE FOR, AND MY
COMMITMENT TO, CONTINUED COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO
PEOPLES. SINCERELY GERALD R. FORD UNQUOTE.

2. FYI. SIAD'S AUGUST 10 MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FORD WAS
AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR INAUGURATION
AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, I HAVE GREAT
PLEASURE IN CONGRATULATING YOU ON BEHALF OF THE SUPREME
REVOLUNTIONARY COUNCIL OF THE SOMALI DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
AND THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE SOMALI DEMOCRATIC
REPUBLIC AND TO WISH YOU AND YOUR COUNTRY HAPPINESS AND
PROSPERITY UNQUOTE.

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3. NEITHER DEPT NOR WHITE HOUSE PLANS RELEASE TEXT OF REPLY

BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO ITS RELEASE BY GSDR. KISSINGER

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